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Now have on sale their entire stock of Spring and Summer Dry Goods and

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OPENING DAY.

Second Day Opening of Pattern Hate and Bonnets at KISNER'S, 1071 Main Street.

SPRING and Summer stock just re-ceived. An elegant and complete line of Suitings, Pantaioonings and Overcoatings, which we will make up in the best style and at low prices.

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NEW STOCK Silver Plated Spoons Knives and Forks, of our own brand, just received. JACOB W. GRUBB, Cor. Twelith and Market Sts.

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The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M., 40°; 3 P. M., 53°; 7 P. M., 51°

17.1 16.2.716.2.2. Washington, D. C., April 2.—1 A. M.—
For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, fair weather, followed in Tennessee by local rains, colder weather, with a sight cold wave in Tennessee, frosts probable Saturday and Sunday mornings, northwesterly winds in the Ohio Valley, winds shifting to northerly in Tennessee. to northerly in Tennessee.
For Lower Lake Regions, snow, general-

ly followed by cloudy and alightly colder weather, with westerly winds.

A Railroad for Boane.

A number of citizens of Jackson and Roane counties met at Spencer a few days since and organized the Ravenswood, Spencer & Glenville Railway Company, for the purpose of building and operating a railroad between the points named. A charter is to be secured at once and the project pushed forward. The people of Roane county are reported very anxious for a railroad to Ravenswood.

The Beyal Gas Company.

Mr. C. D. Robbins, of the Royal Natural Gas Company, has been very busily engaged for the last three or four weeks in leasing eligible gas lands in Brooke county.

W. Va, back of Wellsburg. He has obtained leases of fully 25,000 acres between the Ohn river and the Pennsylvania State line at Independence and points northeast. The Royal Company has also some of the choicest lands in Mount Pleasant township, Washington county, and several wells developed on them. The company, besides Mr. Robbins, is composed largely of Philadelphia cepitalists. It is the company which is laying pipe from Washington county to Steubenville and intermediate towns, and also to Mingo, Ohio.

An elegant line of Body Brussels at \$1 00 er yard, at Stone & Thomas. L. S. Good & Co. sell dry goods the chespest.

Two MARRIAGE Hoenees were insued yes-erday. OPERA House this evening-The Flor

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The bright weather yesterday was an agreeable change from the few preceding ainy days—especially so to movers. The top glass in a large show case was accidentally broken at Hebrank & Bro.'s jewelry store last evening. It will be sent to Pittaburgh for repairs.

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Work was commenced yesterday tearing down the old brick house on Alley E and Sixteenth street, preparatory to erecting a handsome new residence.

MRS INWIN has on exhibition at Nicoll's art store two oil paintings from nature, one of hyacinthes and the other of Marechal Neil roses, which are attracting attention.

MR. EDWARD STANBARG. of Oincinnati. Mis. Enward Standers, of Cincinnati, is in the city. He is here for the purpose of adjusting the insurance on the Crystal Window Glazs Works, at Bellairs, which was burned last Saturday morning.

CLERK Hook yesterday admitted to re-cord a deed made March 31 by W. P. Hub-bard and H. M. Russell, special commis-sioners, to Thomas A. Lewis, in considera-tion of \$585, for lot 40 in the Zaue tract,

GROBGEJ, MATHESON yesterday succeed-ed Ed Carlin as clerk in the distributing department at the Wheeling postolice, and R. C. Darrah became money order clerk, vice Miss Sue Cozad, resigned. Mr. Carlin was removed to make a place for a

MESSES. W. S. ABBOTT and John W. Mer-Allessis, V. A. Reserved in the city yesterday and opened the branch office of R. G. Dun & Ca., the Commercial Agency, in the Chamber of Commerce building, on Main street. These gentlemen have charge of the Wheeling branch of this

A SPECIAL meeting of the City Council will be held this evening to consider the ordinance granting the Manufacturers' Natural Gas Company the right of way through the streets and alleys. It is understood that the Natural Gas Company of West Virginis will make no light against the passage of the ordinance as it causes from the special joint committee.

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This many friends of James Mellor, who was for many years a resident of St. Clairs ville, and a well known nurseryman, will be pained to hear of his death, which cocurred yesterday at Van Wert, Ohio. His remains will be taken to St. Clairsville for interment. He leaves a wile, formerly Miss Mary McKelvey, of St. Clairsville, and two children.

then, and finished at the parallel boundary (or thirty-six miles, and againet fitte parallel boundary (or thirty-six miles, and againet fitte miles, and againet fitte make as completed later in the same year.

An interval of delay followed consequent upon the procrastinating policy of the Legislatures of the States in making appropriations. The work was rapidly done and at much less expense than for the settlement of the line between Pennaylvania and Ohio. The total cost has been only \$1,000.

Col. James Morrell, of Harrisburg, the original chairman of the Commission, died the part of Pennsylvania.

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ATHIAN BELL, alias Burt, was confined in the Bridgeport lockup till yesterday, when he was taken to Holmes county. He was guarded through the night by Officer Lukens. Officers Watson and McNichols helped to take him over Wednesday night, and in his struggles he kicked the number and wreath off McNichols' last. The nisoner because quieter after The peisoner became quieter after he got upon Ohio soil.

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The committee having in charge the preliminary arrangements for the organization of a Wheeling and Ohio county Bar Association, met yesterday, and drew up a constitution and by-laws. A general meeting of the bar will be held at the Court House on Saturday-afternoon to-organize the Association. The Committee of Arrangements consists of Mesars, Hubbard, Russell and Allison, and T. M. Garvin has given valuable aid toward the organization.

ABOUT PEOPLE,

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Follows Mr. John B. Stevenson, of Parkersburg in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Liebert have taken ns at the St. James. Mr. W. A. B. Dalzell, of Wellsburg, was at the McLure house yesterday.

Mr. W. C. Balley, of Ravenswood, registered at the Stamm House.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hildreth got home resterday from their California trip. Jeorge R. Grafton, of the Marietta, Ohio Chair Company, is at the St. James.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Reilly have returned from an extended Southern trip.

Mr. J. D. Culbertson and family have aken rooms at the St. James hotel, where they will reside for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nelli and a party of friends left last night on the Baltimore & Ohio limited for an excursion to Cali-

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36 pairs Misses' high-top button at \$125.
As we are now in the cash business
we can quote lower prices than ever.
J. W. AMICK,
1143 Main street.

Try Langdon's Vanilla Walers. An Historic Clock,

At Nicoll's art store is to be seen a clock which is a relic of New England colonial days. It became the property of Mrs. E. L. Nicoll through the death of her mother in Massachusetts. It is one of the old, tall, eight-day clocks, with a silver dial tall, eight-day clocks, with a silver dial and mahogany case, and though considerably over acentury old is still a good time piece. On its face is engraved the maker's name, and the place and time of its construction: Nathaniel Mulliken, Lexington were nince it was made until ahlped here, and Mrs. Nicoll is but its fourth owner, it having come down in the family from generation to generation. It was a slient witness of the battle of Lexington, the first battle of the Revolution, and its chimes were sounded by the concussion of the shot which was "heard round the were sounded by the concussion of the shot which was "heard round the world." Could the old clock talk it would tell many a tale of historic interest; and though it cannot speak, its allver face and brass mountings shine as bright and its tick-tock sounds as loud and clear as when it stood in tha Colony of Massachusetts Bay, before this country was born, and marked the passing away of English sovereignty on New England's soil.

Distinguished Visitors.

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Messrs. J. W. Wilder, President, and A. W. Pollard, Treasurer, of the Butterick Parlishing Company, of London and New York, are in the city. The house of which these gentlemen are officials is the largest individual consumer of paper in the world. They manufacture the famous Batterick's patterns and print Butterick's Monthly, a fashion magsaine. Their New York house employs a small army of people, and the London house still more. The gentlemen are also President and Treasurer, respectively, of the Cheshire Improvement Company, of East Rindge, N. H. Mr. Wilder is a cousin of Mrs. James F. Barnes, of the Island, and he and Mr. Pollard stopped here on a business trip west to pay her a brief visit.

ALEXANDER conquered the whole world St. Jacobs Oil conquers every pain.

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Tar Langdon's Vanilla Walers. Hall's harness are all hand made and of the best workmanship and material,

COMMISSIONERS' LAST MEETIN

The Work of the Commissioners Done-The Tri-State Monument.

The Pennsylvania and West Virginia oint Boundary Commission, appointe in 1883 by the two States, to survey, de termine and mark the line between the two States, completed its work some time ne monument on the line, which is located at the junction of the Ohio, Penn sylvania and West Virginia lines, on the meridian of the Fairfax Stone, and forty miles from it. This monument was se miles from it. This monument was set yesterday in the presence of the full Commission, Mesars. Frank L. Hoge, of this city, J. O. Gist, of Brooke county, and Capt. John J. Chipley, of Moorefield, Hardy county, the three members on behalf of this State, and W. W. Walker, of Lawrence county, and James McCullough, of Canonsburg. Washington county, the Pennsylvania members, together with C. H. Sinclair, Keq., of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, who was chosen by the Commisoners as engineer

Coast and Geodetic Survey, who was chosen by the Commisoners as engineer and referree of the boundary survey. This was the final meeting of the Commission. The Tri-State monument, erected yesterday, is of very substantial sandsone, appropriately inscribed and selected with special reference to its durability. The other monuments are of similar construction but smaller, and have been put up other monuments are of similar construc-tion, but smaller, and have been put up along the entire lines of the States of Pennsylvania and West Virginia north and south, east and west. They are so close together as to be seen with the naked eye from stone to stone. The work of the Commission began in 1883. The meridian boundary was begun then, and fluished at the parallel bound-ary for thirty-six miles, and again gis them.

aylyania and Onlo, The total cost has been only \$3,000.

Cot. James Morrell, of Harrisburg, the original chairman of the Commission, ded in 1855, leaving but two commissioners on the part of Pennsylvania.

This Court, at its last session at Charles

on on Tuesday, transacted the following unsiness: Singer Manufacturing Company vs Ben-

nett, from Lewis county; opinion by Woods-judgment of Circuit Court at-

firmed.

De Vaugh vs. Husted, from Wood county; opinion by Snyder—decree of lower Court reversed and case remanded for new trial.

Hoy vs. Hughes, from Kanawha county; opinion by Snyder—decision of Circuit Court affirmed.

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Circuit Court silirmed, Judge Green dis-senting.

Oney vs. Clendenin, from Mercer coun-ty; opinion by Green—judgment of lower Court reversed and cause remanded.

State for use &c. vs. Johnson, from Wet-zel county; opinion by Green—judgment affirmed, Judge Snyder dissenting.

Lowe vs. County Court of Lincoin coun-ty; opinion by Johnson—judgment of Circuit Court silirmed.

Carroll vs. Graban Bros., Summers

Circuit Court sfirmed.
Oarroll vs. Grabam Bros., Summers county; opinion by Johnson—decree of lower court affirmed.
Morgan vs. King, from Cabell county; opinion by Johnson—judgment of Circuit Court reversed and case remanded.
Couch vs. Eastham, from Mason county; online by Snyder—decree of lower court sittemed.

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E. O. Peyton, trustee, vs. Truslow, from Kanawha Circuit Court; appeal allowed; bond \$150.

Hursts's administrator vs. the S. V. R. R., from Jefferson county; appeal and supersedeas allowed; no bond required. Congrove vs. Burdett, from Wood county; writ of error allowed; bond \$250.

J. Warren Reed, of Wood county, was admitted to practice in the court. The couft adjourned until Wednesday, at which time the term was expected to end. ouft adjourned until Wednesday, which time the term was expected to end.

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Special Drive.

24 pairs Boys' button at \$1.25.
36 pairs Misses' high-top button, at \$1.00.
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Merrison's Blow at Wool.

Settle has the following: Hou. Joseph C. Gist, on Brooke county, West Virginia, stopped yesterday at the Seventh Avenue Hotel. Mr. Gists to noe of the most prominent sheep breeders and wool connoisments and Divine for Dakota and Mr. Wheat for kenses been a large increase of four hundred are loaded of fifteen tons each, or fifteen are loaded per day for each working day. This is a little more than double the ton-nage 'forwarded in March of last year. The increase consisted mainly of pig iron, steel slabs and steel nall plate."

"There has also been a large increase in freight received here. Last month was the heaviest month the road ever had seen the will utterly extinguish us.

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put it there would crush; out that branch of industry in this country. I think Raudall is all right sometimes, but he is an anomaly to me. I can't understand him at all. The only hope of business people is in the Republican party, which has kept to it for the last twenty-five years." Mr. Gist has nearly always been that one or twice has very always the votes. a Damocrat, but once or twice he vote

Election at Wellsburg.

The corporation election occurred at Wellsburg yesterday. The preliminary canvass was earnest, and the result was looked for with great interest. The contest was between the license and antilicense people, and the officials chosen are pretty evenly divided between the two tickets, excepting Council, of which those in favor of license elected all but one. Following are the officers elected:

Mayor, George W. McCleary, license ticket; majority, 56.
Sergeant, Lewis Hall, temperance ticket; majority, 35.
Street Commissioner, Thomas Parrish, temperance; 165.

mperance; 165. School Director, Alfred Glass, license; 43

Town Clerk, Ira Latimore, temperance (O., Council—Henry Gasmire, John McNally, L. O., Bickerstaff, J. M., Duval, Jasper Potts,license; James Mathews, temperanes.

"Governor Pinto Porterhouse Perkins" (W. J. Florence) and "Miss Matilda Starr" (Mrs. Florence) will make their bow be idin. Florence) will make their bow before a Wheeling audience at the Opera
House this evening in Grover's American
comedy, "Our Governor." The company
is said to be unusually strong, while everybody knows the Florences are a very talented couple in fun making, and they personate types of American character, exaggerated certainly, but with that grain of
wisdom at the bottom which is none the
less valuable for being put in a gay, whimsical and pleasing dress. Reserved seats
are on sale at Baumer's.

WARM clothing and Red Star Cough Cuse are an infallible protection in winter.

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A LARGE variety of good and chean trunks, satchels and harness at J. H. Hall's, 1133 Main street,

Ask your grocer for Langdon's Vach Our stock is entirely new and includes the latest spring styles. Call in. Nonla Bros. Unclo's Fat Wife.

Why is the letter p like uncle's fat wife going up hill? It makes ant pant (sunt), and cooling off too soon produces coughs and colds. Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein will cure her.

TWENTY-FIVE IN TWO WEEKS. The Number of Natl Machines in Operation

The following is the report of Mr. George Wise, Secretary of the Western Nail Asociation, giving the status of affairs in those mills of the Association which are in operation at the Manufacturers' sevensen-cent scale; this report covers tw weeks, none having been issued last week

OFFICE OF WESTERN NAM. Association, Wheeling, W. Va., March 31, 1886. Vestern Nail Company.—March

Have 127 machines running, including 26 self-feeders. Heating furnaces and nail plate train working.

Belfont Iron Works,—March 31. Have

Belmont Non worse, aards 31. Have 115 machines running, including 14 self-feeders. Heating furnaces and nail plate rolls on double turn.

Belmont Nail Co.—March 31. Have 113 machines, heating furnaces and rolls running. Norton Iron Works.—March 20. Have 110 machines, heating furnaces and rolls in

peration.
Laughlin Nail Co.—March 31, Have
7 machines running, including 39 selfseders. Heating furnaces and rolls runing. Riverside Iron Works.—March 31. Have 3 machines, heating furnaces and rolls

Calumet Iron and Steel Company,maces and nail plate rolls running.

Wheeling Iron and Nail Company.—
March 31. Have 75 machines, heating farnaces and rolls running.

Kelly Nail and Iron Co.—March 31. Have 75 machines, heating furnaces and rolls running.

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Terre Haute Iron and Nail Company—
March 31. Have 60 machines, heating fur-

naces and rolls running.

Jefferson Iron Works.—March 30. Have
45 machines, heating furnaces and rolls unning. La Belle Iron Works.—March 31, Have 7 machines running. Benwood Iron Works.—March 30, Have

machines running.
The above shows 1,025 machines in peration at the manufacturers' scale, an icrease of 25 compared with the last

Respectfully yours, GEORGE WISE, Secretary. REGAL COSTUMES ON THE STAGE.

files Lillian Olcott's Dressing in "The Lady of Lyons." It will no doubt interest lady readers, if not all theatre going people, to have an idea of what is worn by Miss Olcott in her impersonation of Pauline, in "The Lady of Lyons." Through the courtesy of her manager the INTELLIGENCER is able of her manager the INTELLOUNCER IS able to give an accurate description of her principal costumes. Her first dress is a delicate blush pink satin, with fringes of crystals and pearls, side pannels finished with fine mechlin lace, corsage trimmed with venetian points, and embroidered with pearls and crystals; a fan of white plumes, set with Miss Olcott's monogram in pearls and diamonds. With this cos-tume Miss Olcott wears magnificent pearl tume Miss Olcott wears a magnificent pearl necklace. Her wedding dress is of rich white satin, embroidered with ornamental white satin, embroidered with ornamental pearls. The front breadth is composed entirely of tinted egg-shaped pearls, the sides are finished with pendent ornaments of pearls, extending around the train, which is nearly four yards long. With this dress is worn what is claimed to be the finest collection of diamonds ever seen more the stages—nextlence, bracelets, ear the finest collection of diamonds ever seen upon the stage—neckiace, bracelets, ear rings, rings and pins of great value and beauty, and in some instances of historical interest. Oa her left hand Miss Olcott wears a single diamond, originally from one of the mines of India, perfect in color, in weight 6½ carats, and during the reign of the unfortunate Eugenia, one of the crown jewels of France. Her other dresses are in keeping with those described. Miss Olcott has as fine and elaborato a wardrobe as any lady star now before the public.

BIG FREIGHT TRAFFIC. ome Interesting Figures from the Pa

INTELLIGENCER reporter, meeting Mr. J. M. Belleville yesterday, asked him: 'How is freight business on your road? "Good," said he. "The freight forwarded

from Wheeling via the Pittsburgh, Cininnati & St. Louis railroad in March 1880, shows an increase of about 6,000 tons over the same month of 1885."
"A good deal of an increase, isn't it?"
"That is an increase of four hundred car loads of fifteen tons each, or fifteen

was this time last year. The increase large as it was, was in Wheeling ship ments and receipts alone."

Letter Carriers' Report. The following amount of work was done by the city letter carriers in the month of March, 1886. DELIVERED

Registered letters...
Mail letters...
Mail postals.....
Drop letters..... COLLECTED. Total .... 

Special Delivery No Good. Special Delivery Ne Good.

The special delivery system recently inaugurated as a new feature of the postal service is a dismal failure, at least at this point. The messengers have narrowed down to one boy, and he finds so little occupation in delivering letters with the immediate delivery stamp that he announces his determination to resign. The letters received here with the special stamp scarcely average one a day, and the sale of ten-cent stamps for this service amounts to nothing. Occasionally small packages are mailed with the stamp on, but seldom a letter. The new service is pronounced "N.G."

P. Ferrel to ge to Washington.
Intelligence comes from Washington
City that Councilman Peter Ferrel, of the
Fourth ward, has secured an appointment in the Treasury Department by the
influence of Sanator Camden. The place
is said to be a good one, giving Mr. Ferrel
employment in his own business, paintless and paying reasonably well. In soite employment in his own business, painting, and paying reasonably well. It spite of this appointment, which comes through Mr. Camden, it is said here that the Fourth ward statesman adheres to Windy Wilson's cause, and when the time comes will throw his influence in favor of the Governor's candidate for the Senatorship.

"Lay thy sweet hands in mine," he said, but she only remarked that she had neuralist and must hold her head. He gave her Sayation Oil and now he holds her sweet hands by the hour.

allina V a'nobgual tot tecorg man EDWARD L. Rose & Co. having purchased the interests of the Howe S. M. Co. and secured the State agency for the Standard Sewing Machine, will keep a full line of Howes and the elegant, swift saay running Standard, with its period attachments and handsome woodwork. Dont fail to see the the Standard. See advertisement on another rese.

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SWOLLEN WATERS

IN THE MOUNTAINS OF THE STATE River here-A Thirty-eight Foot Stage of Water here Possible, and Thirty-five

Can be Relied on-Elsewhere Had it not been for the sudden change n the weather Wednesday evening, when it suddenly turned cold, thereby checking the rapidly rising Ohio, Monougahela and at least forty feet of water in the river a this point by noon to-day. The rains of the early part of the week were more general than at first known, and reports from all along both head rivers report swellen ountain streams and runs, insuring ar musually high stage in the Ohio.

unusually high stage in the Ohio.

While it is not probable that the forty foot mark will be reached by the water at this point, although there were several rivermen last evening who thought there was a possibility of there being over thirty-eight feet, there is no doubt that there will be, as predicted in yesterday's issue, at least thirty-five feet here. This stage of water will back up into the cellars of two or three Main street business houses, and cause considerable inconvenience to people living on low places on the Island. It will flood a portion of the fair grounds and contiguous lots and lands shove the Suspension bridge on the east side of the Island and at the head. Any water above thirty-five feet will cause a general clearing out of cellars along Main street and serious trouble to people living in Stonetown.

along Main street and serious trouble to people living in Stonetown.

The river at this point rose steadily all day yesterday. Up to 3 o'clock in the afternoon the rise was at the rate of four inches an hour, and after that time it commenced coming up much more rapidly. At 9 o'clock last evening the depth was twenty-seven feet and the rise was at the rate of eight inches per hour. At midnight there was a depth of thirty feet. From that time up to 10 or 2 o'clock to From that time up to 10 or 2 o'clock to-day the full effect of all the water from the

day the full effect of all the water from the head-rivers will be felt.

The reports from above last evening were as follows: Pittaburgh, 21 feet and rising; Greensboro, 26 feet and falling; Lock No. 4, 28 feet 6 inches and stationary; Morgantown, 16 feet and falling; Rice's Landing, 26 feet and rising glowly; Brownsville, 28 feet 6 inches and stationary; Oll City, 8 feet 7 inches and rising; Parker, 10 feet 6 inches and rising, At nearly all of these places it was cloudy; the thermometer ranged from 36° to 55°.

At least twenty-five feet is looked for at Pittsburgh. This will, of course, put a stop to coal shipments until the waters commence to subside. Reports from out along the Cheat river show that erratic stream to be on a high. Its banks in along the Cheat river show that erratic stream to be on a high. Its banks in many places are overflowed, booms have been broken and houses washed away, entailing a loss of several thousand dol-lars. The Youghlogheny is also swollen. If big water from these rivers gets into the Monogahela before the waters in that river have subsided, more

gets into the Monogalela before the waters in that river have subsided, more than twenty-live feet may be expected at Pittsburgh. The rise in the Allegheny, it will be noticed, is of no small consequence. The marks at Oil City mean a big rise in the Ohio. River men say that after it becomes stationary at that point the river here may be expected to continue rising for twenty-four hours.

In June, 1883, there were 25 feet at Pittsburgh and 37 feet here. In June, 1881, 25 feet 4 inches here. In February, 1881, 25 feet 6 inches here. In February, 1881, 25 feet 6 inches at Pittsburgh; here it was 38 feet 8 inches, In December, 1878, 24 feet 6 inches at Pittsburgh was the turning point, and here it was only 34 feet. Other high waters left the following records: January, 1874, Pittsburgh 22 feet 4 inches, Wheeling 38 feet 8 inches; December, 1873, Pittsburgh 25 feet 6 inches; Wheeling 38 feet 8 inches; December, 1873, Pittsburgh 25 feet 6 inches; Wheeling 188 feet 8 inches; December, 1876, Pittsburgh 25 feet 6 inches; Wheeling 188 feet 7 feet 6 feet

Bank Briefe.

The Andes will leave Cincinnati for this point at 5 o'clock this evening. The Abner O'Neal did not put in an ap-earance yesterday on account of the

The Twilight towboat lay at Bellaire yesterday, having some repairs made on her boilers. The W. N. Chancellor is due down at an early hour this morning, enroute from Pittsburgh to Charleston.

Engineer Cornell, of the Clifton, is on the sick list and was unable to make the the sick list and was unable to make the last trip the steamer made to Louisville. Capt. Hod Knowles was again in Pitts-burgh Wednesday prospecting for a boat to place in the Pittsburgh and Kanawha

iver trade. Twenty-five raits of lumber came out of Middle Island creek, which empties into the Ohio at St. Marys. Several thousand the also came out.

The Scotia passed up last evening several hours late, having been detained by high winds and water. She was making all speed in the hope of making up for lost

The steamer Batchelor, on account of the heavy wind Wednesday night, did not arrive until late yesterday afternoon and will not return to Pittsburgh until to-morrow morning at her usual hour, losing one trip.

one trip.

The Louis A. Shirley is due from Cincinnati to-day, She will probably be late, owing to the high water and the heavy wind of Wednesday night. She will leave for Cincinnati at 3 o'cleck to-morrow atternoon. The Shirley has ample accommodations for both pussenners and shippers and is deserving of public patronage. She is commanded by a clever set of officers and is noted for promptness and reliability.

Cant. John M. Sweeney, who returned

Capt. John M. Sweeney, who returned from New Orleans Wedneday, after an absence in the South of about five months, absence in the South of about five months, brought home with him a contract for the firm of Sweeney & Son, to build a stern-wheel boat, about the size of the C. W. Batchelor, for Mobile parties. The boat is to run on the Alabama river and is to be finished by July 15. The success that the T. P. Leathers is making decided the Mobile parties to give Captain Sweeney the contract. the contract.

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PROP. JOHN MULLEN last evening closed Pror. John Mullen last evening closed his dancing scademy for the season, with one of the best and most successful classes he ever conducted in this city, and was composed of our best class of citizens. He most respectfully returns thanks to the liberal patronage extended him the past winter as well as for the past eighteen years. The Professor goes from here to fitendenyille to teach a spring class, but will return at the proper time next, fall to resume his classes.

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By taking the 1:47 p. m. (eity time) train on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh road passengers arrive in Clevelard at 6:35 p. m. m., and Ohicago at 6:30 the following morning. Connections made in Union depot, Chicago, for all points west.

COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Ordinances met at the Public Building last evening. President Alfred (Caldwell presided over both meetings. The Com ittee on Claims referred to Solicito O'Keeffe several small claims that have

mittee on Claims referred to Solicitor O'Keeffe several small claims that have resulted or will result in suits against the city if not compromised or settled in some way. The committee afterwards went into star chamber session, the matter before it being finally referred to the Solicitor for a report as to the city's liability. The question under discussion was rumored to be something in relation to some valuable city property.

The Committee on Ordinances wasted about an hour in desultory talk over a number ofordinances presented to Council recently that were not properly drawn by the Solicitor. The Solicitor was present and assisted in the pow-wow, and finally indicated that he understood what was wanted. He will make another effort to draw the ordinances up properly. The Solicitor stated that he had not had time to draw up the ordinance and coffee houses.

While talk was going on Chairman Caldwell read over the Mayor's annual communication to Council and sparently found food therein for suppressed mirth. Other business being out of the way he presented to the committee such portions as proparly came before it for consideration. The hour was tate and the attention given the paper was hurried. The suggestion that the ordinances he revised was deemed inexpedient, as the work would cost too much and as the ordinances were revised in 1881. The suggestion in relation to a Reform School was knocked out by the question, "Where is the money to come from?"

The suggestion of the Mayor that an ordinance in conformity to the State law be framed so that gambling implements might be destroyed when dens are raided by the police brought out the question, "When does the police make such raids?"

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It was then turned over to the Solicitor for a report as to what the State law on the subject is and whether an ordinance such as suggested could be framed. The suggestion about an ordinance prohibiting prostitutes being about ceffee houses caused an admonition to "hurry up that ing prostitutes being about celies houses caused an admonition to "hurry up that ordinance" to be fired at Mr. O'Keefle, who received it complacently.

It was deemed inexpedient to report an ordinance as suggested, forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquors to minors. Reasons—too much room allowed for spite work; State law affords punishment now; provision in bond forbidding such sale and bonds can be proceeded against; was

and bonds can be proceeded against; was in wisdom of former Councilmen stricken The suggestion that the soflice of clerk The suggestion that the soline of clerk to committees be abolished called for some remarks from Clerk Galligan, who defined his positions and the work he had to do and compared it with the work of other clerks of the city. Mr. Caldwell opposed abolishing the office. Other members thought it should be abolished at the end of the term of the present incumbent. About this time the committee grew weary and adjourned without taking any action on this matter of \$600 per annum. The communication on the whole was

The communication on the whole was rather carelessly treated. The able rather carejessis' treated. The able So-licitor, who was in a facetious humor dur-ing the entire evening, was called to order rather sharply by Mr. Dobbins while; the Mayor's paper, was being considered, for what Mr. Dobbin's deemed officiousness and lack of proper respect. The Solicitor disclaimed any such intention and soon after departed.

eddents and Incidents in West Virginia George Crooks, of Ravenswood, has 3,500 logs and a large number of cross-ties coming out of the Sandy on this rise.

THROUGH THE STATE.

Persons who were considering the advisability of organizing a Knights of Labor assembly at Charlestown have decided that it would be inexpedient to form one now. The Young Men's Christian Association of Steubenville has issued a dall, which has been accepted, to Mr. Barclay, of Louisville, to become its secretary, at a salary of \$60 per month.

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Rouben, a seven-year old son of Frank Hale, of New Cumberland, was drowned Wednesday evening. He was playing about the school house yard and fell into a run that was swollen and running like a nill race.

The "Clay City Base Ball Club" is the name of an organisation of leading young men of New Cumberland. They are also interested in a movement to form a local association of clubs between Wellsburg and East Liverpool.

and East Liverpool.

The Parkersburg State Journal says that the amount of freight over the Baltimore & Ohio branch has greatly decreased in the past few days. For several days there have been but two freight trains a day east, indicating a sudden collape. In this connection it may be stated that the shop and repair forces at Cumberland and Martinaburg have been decreased within the

Pilot James Rowley, of the Scotia, stop- past week. Pilot James Rowley, of the Scotia, stopped off at Vanceburg this trip to visit his family. Harry Ollum is standing his watch at the wheel.

The General Pike, on her way down, touched the wharf last evening about 9:30 clock, having lost over twelve hours by reason of the heavy winds.

A number of boats belonging to the coal fleet passed up yesterday with tows of empties. They had to hug the banks closed by in order to avoid the swilt currents.

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are interested.

Lieutenant Frank M. Terry, U. S. A., with five Indian chiefs of the Pawker tribe, arrived in Parkersburg Wednesday on his way to Washington, where he is taking the delegation to see the Great Father. His stop here was caused by the serious illness of White Buffalo, the second in importance in the delegation, which is headed by Winged Beaver, a brave and courageous chief. Upon the solicitation of Colonel Jerry Hill and other gentlemen the Indians who were not ill gave an exhibition in Court Square.

Bridgeport. Sheriff Sedwick was in town vesterday. The election talk is becoming warm and andidates are numerous.

S. Dunlevy, of the LaBelie glass house left yesterday for New York on a business Subscribers to the INTELLIGENCES who have changed their place of residence should notify the carrier.

A four-month old child of Oliver Heck-enbottom was buried from the Sherman House yesterday. Mr. Heckenbottom is an employe of the LaBelle glass house, and he and his wife have rooms at the Sherman House,
Charles E. Cooke, of Bridgeport, and
Grant Hastings, of Batesville, principal
and alternate selected by the examining
committee for a West Point cadet, are
ordered to report in June at West Point,
for examination. In case Cooke falls,
Hastings will be given a chance. Sherman House,

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MARTIN'S FERRY. ning Elections, and Various Other

Judge Cochran is an independent can didate for City Solicitor. Joseph Waters is at Springfield, Ohio visiting his sick mother. The entertainment at Lancaster Chape ast evening was well attended.

Mrs. Harry Carter, who has been seri Dr. Hall and George Spence each received a new bicycle yesterday. Elmer Fickes is lying at his home in Steubenville, with little hopes of his re

covery.

Arthur McNichols, charged with drunk enness and disorderly conduct, was find \$ and costs yesterday. Candidates are becoming uneasy. After next Monday some of these make themselves scarce.

The fair and festival for the benefit of the Welsh Church will be held at Ætna-ville, April 9th and 10th. Louis Frick, who moved over from Wheeling last week, opened out in grand

Henry Floto and Samuel Westwood, of this place, have been drawn to serve as grand juors at the term commencing April 13; and Samuel Martin to serve on the petit jury.

The Indian show is giving free exhibitions this week to crowded houses. Of course the bigger the audience the more medicine is sold—and still the druggists are not happy. are not happy. From almost every section of the State

come reports of a general improvement of the health of our people due no doubt to the influence of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup which costs only 25 cents. Ask your grocer for Langdon's Vanilla This stock of Hats, Cape and Gents Furnishing Goods at Noble Bros.' new store, in the McLure House building, is complete.

Ed. C. Schoen has taken Guy Walling's place in the C. & P. telegraph office, William K. Long will join the others from Bellaire who are living at Grand

The safe at the Crystal kept the books n condition to be read, although they were charred. The Messrs. Victorius yesterday moved heir clothing house from here to Barnes-

wille.

Mrs. Ludwig died yesterday morning in the 50th year of her age. She had been living here but a short time.

The Belmont Building and Loan Company sold money this week at thirty-five and fifty cents per share per week.

Mrs. Garrard fell yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. S. Hyatt, and broke one arm in two places.

The Bellaire Nail Works gave the fire companies \$20 for their services in protecting the factory from the fire at the Crystal Window Glass Works.

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Crystal Window Glass Works.

The window glass workers want in lease the Union window glass house and run it themselves; but it is not yet decided whether they can make the necessary arrangements with their union.

The city's sewer fund is everdrawn \$584 and the street light fund is overdrawn \$113. The sanitary fund has \$221 balance. All but sixteen dollars that, was spent of sanitary funds was for burying dogs. The bridge fund has \$408 balance. The park fund has \$408 balance. The balance of the water works bond fund is \$2,963. Only \$19 was collected in cash

for road fund. This fund has now a be-ance of \$3,000. The expenditures for pe-lice was \$3,250 last year. The balance is police fund is \$15.60. The balance is in fund is \$737. Over half the expenditure for the fire department was for the nes-house house in the Fourth ward.

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Orth Stein, a Lafayette, Ind., journals who became somewhat noted in Kassa City, and who narrowly escaped contion there on a charge of murder, habeen missing for several days. Investigation shows that he has drawn from the local banks \$4,500 of his widowed mother's money, and has lost large amousts it the caming table.

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